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Title: HIGHLY-STRUCTURED SILICA  
HAVING A LOW WATER UPTAKE,  
PREPARATION METHOD THEREOF  
AND USES OF THE SAME

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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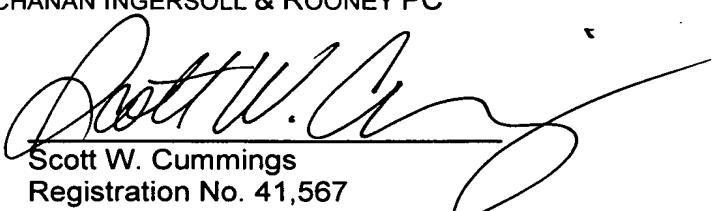
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